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EX PARTE PRESENTATION

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Ex Parte Presentation in CC Docket No. 96-45

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206, Puerto Rico Telephone Company, Inc. ("PRT") hereby submits this letter summarizing *ex parte* presentations in the above-referenced docket. PRT participated in a series of meetings to discuss the high-cost universal service support program.

Ms. Cristina Lambert and Mr. Roberto A. Correa of PRT along with Mr. Gregory J. Vogt and Ms. Nancy J. Victory, counsel, participated in two meetings with FCC commissioners on April 22, 2004. A meeting was held with Chairman Michael Powell and his Legal Advisor Christopher Libertelli. A separate meeting was held with Commissioner Kevin Martin and Jason Williams. In each of these meetings, PRT advocated the adoption of a non-rural insular high-cost mechanism, and discussed its related filings in this docket, including its Petition for Clarification and Reconsideration filed on January 14, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Gregory J. Vogt

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cc: Chairman Michael Powell Commissioner Kevin J. Martin Christopher Libertelli Jason Williams